

INDIANA STATE BOARD OF NURSING

Will meet on
Thursday, December 16, 2010
at 8:30 a.m.
in the Auditorium of the
Indiana Government Center-South
302 West Washington Street
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

I. CALL TO ORDER AND ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM

8:30 a.m.

II. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

III. ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES FROM THE NOVEMBER 18, 2010 MEETING OF THE BOARD

IV. INDIANA STATE NURSES ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

V. EDUCATION

- A. Ivy Tech ASN and PN programs statewide: Proposed curricula changes
- B. Everest College Notice of Intent: Planning an new ASN program in addition to existing PN program.
- C. Everest College – LPN program: Program change proposal.

VI. DISCUSSION

- A. Online Nursing Refresher Courses' suitability for Indiana nurses returning to practice.
- B. Attorney General's Office – Consumer Protection Division Changes

VII. BOARD DIRECTOR REPORT

VIII. PERSONAL APPEARANCES

8:45 a.m.

Personal Appearance applicants will meet in the Auditorium but will be conducted by one or more Board Members in another conference center room concurrently with the administrative hearings scheduled for 9:00 a.m. The Board Member(s) conducting the personal appearance interviews will make recommendations to the full Board regarding their applications at the end of the full Board Meeting.

A. Appearances by Applicants for Licensure

- 1. Amy Jefferson – Examination
- 2. Christopher McLoughlin – Endorsement
- 3. Blair Stevens – Examination
- 4. Kenya Threets – rescheduled LPN by endorsement

B. Appearances by Applicants for Renewal

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| 1. Chelsea Achenbach | License number: 27064162A |
| 2. Rex Staley | License number: 27018064A |
| 3. Tracy Murphy | License number: 27064018A |
| 4. Tovia Allen | License number: 27050270A |
| 5. Kathy Louise Brown | License number: 27054378A |
| 6. Crystal Kiser | License number: 27062066A |
| 7. Nicole Hatfield | License number: 27059679A |
| 8. Catherine Stump | License number: 27049217A |
| 9. Nancy Cole | License number: 27058985A |
| 10. Erica Stone | License number: 27056927A |
| 11. Ashley Woods | License number: 27058319A |
| 12. Pamela Quakenbush | License number: 27035921A |
| 13. Holly Wright | License number: 27054898A |
| 14. Nancy Kiefer | License number: 27032961A |
| 15. Allen Lahrman | License number: 27053031A |
| 16. Joyce Kline | License number: 27050812A |
| 17. Heather Abrams | License number: 27064411A |
| 18. Biff Guenthensperger | License number: 27038630A |
| 19. Lisa Johnston | License number: 27053883A |
| 20. Melissa Osborn | License number: 27059697A |
| 21. Candice Rice | License number: 27050141A |
| 22. Toni Crawford | License number: 27040409A |

23. Vivian Thiel	License number: 27058712A
24. April Frandsen	License number: 27042526A
25. Holly Shamley	License number: 27055669A
26. Heidi Johnson	License number: 27039097A
27. Diana Means	License number 27056548A
28. Ruth Davis	License number 27046517A
29. Pamela Majors – rescheduled	License number 27039387A
30. Kelly Wallace – rescheduled	License number 27058618A
31. Terry McComb – rescheduled	License number 27035769A

C. Appearances by Applicants for Renewal - More Than Three Years

1. Merlene Vuckovich Hall	License number: 28093895A
2. Cassandra Vaughn	License number: 28143520A
3. Miriam Smothers	License number: 28127935A

VIII. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

The following hearings are scheduled to begin at 9:00 a.m. Cases will be heard on order of arrival, with the exception of agreements, which will be heard first. A sign-up sheet will be available at 8:00 a.m.

A. In the Matter of the License of: Irene Marie Peck, L.P.N., License No. 27050413A CONTINUED
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 120
Re: Disciplinary Hearing

B. In the Matter of the License of: Johnny Burton, R. N., License No. 28146190A
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 128
Re: Proposed Settlement Agreement

C. In the Matter of the License Renewal of: Devona Nay, L.P.N., License No. 27057528A
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 234
Re: Petition for Review of License Renewal Decision

D. In the Matter of the License Application of: Stacey Bachmann
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 178
Re: Non Final, Interim Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order

E. In the Matter of the License of: Rebecca Honzik, License No. 28181465A
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 193
Re: Proposed Settlement Agreement

F. In the Matter of the License of: Michael Miller, L.P.N., License No. 27044831A
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 201
Re: Settlement/Prehearing Conference

G. In the Matter of the License of: Christina Pedigo, L.P.N., License No. 27054745A
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 130
Re: Settlement Conference

H. In the Matter of the License of: Darleen Davoust., License No. 28100359A
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 157
Re: Settlement Conference/Disciplinary Hearing

I. In the Matter of the License of: Pamela Liggett, L.P.N., License No. 27060335A
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 154
Re: Disciplinary Hearing

J. In the Matter of the License of: Paula Watson, R.N., License No. 28126354A
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 172
Re: Proposed Settlement Agreement

K. In the Matter of the License of: Jeanne Clark, R. N., License No. 28130497A
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 214
Re: Extension of Emergency Suspension

L. In the Matter of the License of: Joan Sherry Podjan (Kleaveland), R.N., License No. 28104615A
Administrative Cause No. 2003 NB 0190
Re: Request to Withdraw Probation

M. In the Matter of the License of: Margaret Evans, R.N., License No. 28150144A

Administrative Cause No. 2009 NB 010

Re: Order to Show Cause

N. In the Matter of the License of: Harriett Lee Pennington, R.N., License No. 28113881A

Administrative Cause No. 2008 NB 104

Re: Order to Show Cause

O. In the Matter of the License of: Teresa Fields, R. N., License No. 28145218A

Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 105

Re: Order to Show Cause

The following hearings are scheduled to begin at 1:30 pm. Cases will be heard on order of arrival, with the exception of agreements, which will be heard first.

P. In the Matter of the License of: Katigan Whitlock, R.N., License No. 28128387A

Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 185

Re: Disciplinary Hearing

Q. State of Indiana v. Lee Marie Collins, R.N., License No. 28145962A

Administrative Cause No. 2004 NB 0046

Re: Order to Show Cause

R. In the Matter of the License of: Rachael Henson, R.N., License No. 28192326A

Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 145

Re: Request to Withdraw Probation

S. In the Matter of the License of: Jill Gernon, R. N., License No. 28157033A

Administrative Cause No. 2009 NB 098

Re: Order to Show Cause

T. In the Matter of the License of: Dara Collins, R.N., License No. 28166522A

Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 253

Re: Prehearing Conference

U. In the Matter of the License of: Teresa Carter, L.P.N., License No. 27045474A

Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 252

Re: Prehearing Conference

V. In the Matter of the License of: Belinda Slone, L.P.N., License No. 27050918A

Administrative Cause No. 2008 NB 182

Re: Order to Show Cause

W. In the Matter of the License of: Dawn Getman, L.P.N., License No. 27027885A

Administrative Cause No. 2009 NB 202

Re: Request to Withdraw Probation

X. In the Matter of the License of: Christy Burk, L.P.N., License No. 27018397A

Administrative Cause No. 2009 NB 012

Re: Request to Withdraw Probation

Y. In the Matter of the License of: Sue D. Cardwell, R.N., License No. 28068702A

Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 210

Re: Disciplinary Hearing

Z. In the Matter of the License of: Tamara Chantelle Hill, L.P.N., License No. 27058621A

Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 153

Re: Proposed Settlement Agreement

IX. DEFAULT HEARINGS

A. In the Matter of the License of: Christi Christmas, R.N., License No. 28158324A

Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 188

Re: Notice of Proposed Default

- B. In the Matter of the License of: John W. McCormick, R.N., License No. 28130744A**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 182
Re: Notice of Proposed Default
- C. In the Matter of the License of: Stephanie Gill, R.N., License No. 28159762A**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 166
Re: Notice of Proposed Default
- E. In the Matter of the License of: Jennifer Zeinner, L.P.N., R.N., License Nos. 27053090A, 28182276A**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 170
Re: Notice of Proposed Default
- F. In the Matter of the License of: Tammy Anderson, L.P.N., License No. 27036376A**
Administrative Cause No. 2009 NB 214
Re: Notice of Proposed Default
- G. In the Matter of the License of: Paula Manuilow, R.N., License No. 28081769A**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 160
Re: Notice of Proposed Default
- H. In the Matter of the License of: Laura Jane Smith, R.N., License No. 28117757A**
Administrative Cause No. 2008 NB 133
Re: Notice of Proposed Default & Summary Suspension Order
Respondent's Written Response
- I. In the Matter of the License of: Judith Dickinson, L.P.N., License No. 27014907A**
Administrative Cause No. 2008 NB 062
Re: Notice of Proposed Default
- J. In the Matter of the License of: Amanda Petro, L.P.N., License No. 27055067A**
Administrative Cause No. 2009 NB 213
Re: Notice of Proposed Default & Summary Suspension Order
- K. In the Matter of the License of: Elizabeth Leon, R.N., License No. 28106735A**
Administrative Cause No. 2007 NB 0003
Re: Notice of Proposed Default & Summary Suspension Order
- L. In the Matter of the License of: Laura Harrold, L.P.N., License No. 27037424A**
Administrative Cause No. 2001 NB 0092
Re: Notice of Proposed Default
- M. In the Matter of the License of: Kelly Fritz, R.N., License No. 28155472A**
Administrative Cause No. 2008 NB 129
Re: Notice of Proposed Default

X. ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE RECOMMENDATIONS FROM DECEMBER 2, 2010 ALJ MEETING

The following license applicants were scheduled to appear before the Administrative Law Judge and to make recommendations to the full Board regarding that application. For new license applications, the Board may either approve, deny, place on hold until further information is submitted, or approve on a probationary status with stipulated terms and conditions. For license renewal applicants, the Board may either approve, deny, approve on a probationary status with stipulated terms and conditions, or table consideration of the renewal request and forward to the Attorney General's office for investigation. The following are Mr. Burghduff's recommendations from the scheduled appearances:

PERSONAL APPEARANCES: 9:00 AM

A. Appearances by Applicants for Renewal

1. Melissa Jallow License number: 27047873A
Ms. Jallow appeared before the Board regarding her application to renew her LPN license. Ms. Jallow disclosed a pending complaint with the AG's office. Mr. Burghduff recommended that the matter be referred back to the AG's office to complete their investigation.
2. Carey Clouser License number: 27052253A
Ms. Clouser appeared before the Board regarding her application to renew her LPN license. Ms. Clouser disclosed a termination in 2008 for diversion. She participated in ISNAP but was closed out in 2010 for noncompliance with her RMA. Mr. Burghduff recommended that she be issued on a probationary license with the requirement that she comply with the terms of her new RMA.

3. Pamela Majors License number: 27039387A
Ms. Majors was rescheduled for the full December Board meeting.
4. Jami Arnold License number: 27045158A
Ms. Arnold appeared before the Board regarding her application to renew her LPN license. Ms. Arnold disclosed a 2009 check deception conviction and a 2008 OWI conviction. Mr. Burghduff recommended that her license be renewed free and clear.
5. Kimberly Hankins License number: 27056208A
Ms. Hankins appeared before the Board regarding her application to renew her LPN license. She disclosed OWI convictions in 2001, 2005, and 2009. Recommended that Ms. Hankins be renewed on a probationary status for the duration of an ISNAP RMA if eligible.
6. Beth Whittenberger License number: 27031422A
Ms. Whittenberger appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. She disclosed a termination from employment for suspected diversion of narcotics. She is currently enrolled in ISNAP and compliant with the terms of her RMA. Mr. Burghduff recommended that the matter be rereferred to the AG for conclusion of their investigation.
7. Alison Cummings License number: 27041461A
Ms. Cummings appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. She disclosed ongoing treatment for opiate addiction. She has previously completed an ISNAP RMA. Mr. Burghduff recommended that she be renewed on a probationary license with the requirement that she comply with the terms of a new ISNAP RMA.
8. April Wright License number: 27057167A
Ms. Wright appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. She disclosed a February 2008 OWI conviction. She had a previous public intoxication conviction from 2005. Mr. Burghduff recommended that she contact ISNAP and that she enter into an RMA if eligible. She is also preparing to apply for an RN license, and that will be issued on a probationary status with the same terms and conditions if her LPN license is still on probation at the time.
9. Leslie Miller-Basinger License number: 27034911A
Ms. Miller-Basinger appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. She disclosed a March 2010 OWI conviction. Mr. Burghduff recommended that she contact ISNAP and enter into an RMA if eligible for participation. She will be renewed free and clear.
10. Pamela Jackson License number: 27035652A
Ms. Jackson appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. She has an outstanding Board fine balance of \$400 issued in 2008. Mr. Burghduff advised that his recommendation will be to deny her license application in January if she has not paid.
11. Carol Infante License number: 27057239A
Mr. Burghduff recommended that Ms. Infante's renewal application be denied.
12. David Carter-Plake License number: 27042743A
Mr. Carter-Plake appeared before the Board regarding his application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. He reported a 2010 OWI conviction but is currently in ISNAP and compliant with his RMA. Mr. Burghduff recommended that his license be renewed free and clear.
13. Gabrielle Alexander License number: 27062164A requests to continue
14. Kelli S. Brown License number: 27040047A
Ms. Brown appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. She reported a 2010 conviction for OWI for impaired driving while under the influence of prescription medication. Mr. Burghduff recommended that she contact ISNAP and sign an RMA if eligible. She will be renewed free and clear.
15. Natasha Killebrew License number: 27051768A
Ms. Killebrew appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. She reported having worked for several months in 2009 on an expired license. Mr. Burghduff recommended that the matter be referred back to the AG's office for completion of their investigation.
16. Gardnetta Willman License number: 27060560A
Ms. Willman appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. She reports pending felony charges for theft of controlled substances. She is currently in an ISNAP RMA and is compliant. Mr. Burghduff recommended that the matter be referred to the AG's office as a consumer complaint.

17. Stephanie Morgan License number: 27053987A
Ms. Morgan appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. She reports a 2009 conviction for failure to stop after an accident. She was arrested for possession of a controlled substance but has completed her criminal probation. Mr. Burghduff recommended that she contact ISNAP and sign an RMA if eligible for participation. She will be issued on probation for at least 6 months of ISNAP compliance if eligible.
18. Chereese Grant License number: 27047995A
Ms. Grant appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. She reported a termination for practice issues that ended in a patient fatality. The Board previously filed a consumer complaint with the AG's office in 2008 for investigation. Mr. Burghduff recommended that she be renewed on a probationary status for at least 1 year with the requirement that she complete at least 24 contact hours of CE for nurses and submit quarterly employer reports.
19. Jill Loray Childers License number: 27028909A
Ms. Childers notified that Board that she does not wish to appear as requested. Mr. Burghduff recommended that her renewal application be denied.
20. Anita Humbel License number: 27062785A
Ms. Humbel appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. She reported a termination for alleged time sheet documentation errors. Mr. Burghduff recommended that she be renewed free and clear.
21. Kimberly Utlej License number: 27028471A
Ms. Utlej appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. She reported a termination for employment for nursing performance issues. Mr. Burghduff recommended that she be renewed free and clear.
22. Hugh Unfried License number: 27054909A
Mr. Unfried appeared before the Board regarding his application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. He reported a termination from employment that included allegations of a practice error regarding trach care. Mr. Burghduff recommended that he be renewed on a probationary status for at least 3 months with the requirement that he submit monthly employer reports (self reports if unemployed) and complete at least 3 contact hours of CE in tracheostomy care and 6 in medical ethics/legal issues.
23. Constance Crawford License number: 27051878A
Ms. Crawford appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. She reported allegations pending with the AG's office regarding suspected diversion. She has already been assessed by ISNAP and does not meet criteria for monitoring. Mr. Burghduff recommended that the matter be referred back to the AGs office to conclude the investigation.
24. Ann R. Myers License number: 27040869A
Ms. Myers did not appear before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure. Mr. Burghduff recommended that her application be denied.
25. Kelly Wallace License number: 27058618A
Ms. Wallace was rescheduled for the full December Board.
26. Megan Overstreet License number: 27063971A
Ms. Overstreet appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. She reported pending criminal charges for receiving property that have since been dismissed. Mr. Burghduff recommended that her license be renewed free and clear.
27. Betty Sumner License number: 27038766A
Ms. Sumner appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. She has an outstanding fine that she is prepared to pay. Mr. Burghduff recommended that she be renewed free and clear after paying the renewal application.
28. L'Tia Lewis License number: 27064188A
Ms. Lewis appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. She reported a misdemeanor conviction for theft from a domestic incident. She is on criminal probation until August of next year. Mr. Burghduff recommended that she be renewed free and clear.
29. Merita Rodriguez License number: 27035431A
Ms. Rodriguez appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. She reported a termination for a practice error resulting in patient harm, for which the Board filed a consumer complaint with the AG's office. Ms. Rodriguez states that the investigation was formally closed. Mr. Burghduff recommended that she be renewed free and clear upon verifying the AG's investigation has been completed.

30. Kyle Artz License number: 27058385A
Mr. Artz appeared before the Board regarding his application for renewal as an LPN. He has a current recommendation for a probationary RN license once he passes his examination. Mr. Burghduff recommended that his license be renewed with the same terms and conditions as his RN license, once issued.
31. Ruth Davis License number: 27046517A
Ms. Davis was rescheduled for the full December Board.
32. Claudia Sanchez License number: 27057329A
Ms. Sanchez appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal as an LPN. She reported a 2010 conviction for OWI for which she is on criminal probation. Mr. Burghduff recommended that she contact ISNAP and sign an RMA if eligible. She will be renewed free and clear.
33. Dana Badman License number: 27064831A
Ms. Badman appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. She reported a 2010 conviction for OWI for which she is on criminal probation. Mr. Burghduff recommended that she be renewed free and clear.
34. Jessica Ramos License number: 27061393A
Ms. Ramos appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. She has an outstanding Kentucky Board order for practicing without a license. She also has pending issue regarding a positive drug screen. Mr. Burghduff recommended that the matter be dealt with in the pending disciplinary hearing scheduled for Dec. 16, 2010.

PERSONAL APPEARANCES: 1:00 PM

A. Appearances by Applicants for Renewal

1. Yvonne Priest License number: 28090455A
Ms. Priest appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of her RN license. She has a lapsed probationary license. Mr. Burghduff recommended that she contact ISNAP and sign an RMA if eligible. Her probation will be modified to be effective for at least the duration of her RMA.
2. Bailey Leece License number : 27063783A
Ms. Leece appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. She reported a termination from employment for a medication error. Mr. Burghduff recommended that she be renewed free and clear.
3. Amy Tezekjan License number: 27061568A
Ms. Tezekjan appeared before the Board regarding her application for renewal of licensure as an LPN. She reported a 2010 OWI arrest for which charges are pending. Mr. Burghduff recommended that she contact ISNAP and be expected to sign an RMA if eligible.

B. Appearances by Applicants for New License

1. Pamela Curry – LPN Exam
Ms. Curry appeared before the Board regarding her application for new licensure as an LPN. Her Ohio LPN license has been revoked. Mr. Burghduff recommended that her license application be denied.
2. Brooke Lavignette – RN Exam
Ms. Lavignette appeared before the Board regarding her application for initial licensure as an LPN. She disclosed a previous action against her license for issues involving abuse of narcotics. Mr. Burghduff recommended that she be made eligible again upon reapplication, that she contact ISNAP for evaluation, and that she be issued free and clear upon passing.
3. Patrick Cross – Prescriptive Authorization Applicant
Mr. Cross will be rescheduled for the full January Board meeting.
4. Justin Phillips – RN endorsement RESCHEDULED
Mr. Phillips will be rescheduled for the January ALJ meeting.
5. Kenya Threats – LPN Endorsement
Ms. Threats will be rescheduled for the full December Board meeting.
6. Jameelah Muhammad – Endorsement
Ms. Muhammad appeared before the Board regarding her application for licensure by endorsement. She reported criminal arrests in 01, 04, and in 08, the 2008 resulting in a DUI conviction. Mr. Burghduff recommended that she be issued on a probationary status for at least 3 months of compliance with an ISNAP RMA, if eligible.

XI. ADJOURNMENT

Next Scheduled Meetings:

Thursday, January 6, 2011 – Administrative Law Judge Meeting
Indiana Government Center-South
Conference Room1

Thursday, January 20, 2011 - Full Board Meeting
Indiana Government Center-South
Auditorium